

# Missouri Department of Natural Resources

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### APPLICATION FOR MISSOURI STATE OPERATING PERMIT

DATE: August 25, 2006

In accordance with the state Clean Water Law, Chapter 644, RSMo, Clean Water Commission regulation 10 CSR 20-6.010, and the federal Clean Water Act, the applicants listed herein have applied for authorization to either discharge to waters of the state or to operate a no-discharge wastewater treatment facility. The proposed permits for these operations are consistent with applicable water quality standards, effluent standards and/or treatment requirements or suitable timetables to meet these requirements

(see 10 CSR 20-7.015 and 7.031). All permits will be issued for a period of five years, unless noted otherwise in the Public Notice for that discharge.

On the basis of preliminary staff review and the application of applicable standards and regulations, the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR), as administrative agent for the Missouri Clean Water Commission, proposes to issue a permit(s) subject to certain effluent limitations, schedules, and special conditions. The proposed determinations are tentative pending public comment.

Persons wishing to comment on the proposed effluent limitations and/or determinations are invited to submit them in writing to the Department of Natural Resources, Northeast Regional Office, 1709 Prospect Drive, Macon, MO 63552, ATTN: G. Irene Crawford, Regional Director. Please include the permit number in all comment letters.

Comments should be confined to the issues relating to the proposed action and permit(s) and the effect on water quality. The MDNR may not consider as relevant comments or objections to a permit based on issues outside the authority of the Clean Water Commission, (see <u>Curdt v. Mo. Clean Water</u> Commission, 586 S.W.2d 58 Mo. App. 1979).

All comments must be postmarked by September 25, 2006, or received in our office by 5:00 p.m. on September 28, 2006. The requirement of a signed document makes it impossible to accept email comments for consideration at this time. Comments will be considered in the formulation of all final determinations regarding the applications. If response to this notice indicates significant public interest, a public meeting or hearing may be held after due notice for the purpose of receiving public comment on the proposed permit or determination. Public hearings and/or issuance of the permit will be conducted or processed according to 10 CSR 20-6.020.

Copies of all draft permits and other information including copies of applicable regulations are available for inspection and copying at DNR's website, <a href="http://www.dnr.mo.gov/env/wpp/index.html">http://www.dnr.mo.gov/env/wpp/index.html</a>, or at the Department of Natural Resources, Northeast Regional Office, 1709 Prospect Drive, Macon, Missouri 63552.

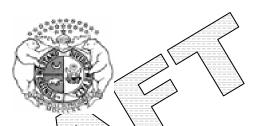
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Permit Number: MO-0095729
Northeast Regional Office

FACILITY NAME AND ADDRESS	NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER			
Galt WWTP	City of Galt			
102 South Main	PO Box 86			
Galt, Missouri 64641	Galt, Missouri 64641			
RECEIVING STREAM & LEGAL DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF DISCHARGE			
West Fork of Medicine Creek (Little Medicine Creek (P) (00623) 303(d)) Sec. 4, T61N, R22W, Grundy County	Domestic, reissuance			

# STATE OF MISSOURI

# DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

#### MISSOURI CLEAN WATER COMMISSION



G. Irene Crawford, Director, Northeast Regional Office

# MISSOURI STATE OPERATING PERMIT

In compliance with the Missouri Clean Water Law (Chapter 644 R.S. Mo. as amended, hereinafter, the Law), and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (Public Law 92-500, 92<sup>nd</sup> Congress) as amended,

Permit No. Owner: of Galt Address: Po Box 86, Galt, Missouri 64641 Continuing Authority: Same as above Address: Same as above Galt Wastewater Treatment Plant Facility Name: ½ mile SE of NE 102<sup>nd</sup> Ave. and NE 110<sup>th</sup> Ave. intersection, Galt, Missouri 64641 Facility Address: E ½, NW ¼, Sec. 4, T61N, R22W, Grundy County Legal Description: Latitude/Longitude: +4006528/-09322460 Receiving Stream: Unnamed tributary to West Fork Medicine Creek (U) West Fork Medicine Creek (P)(00623) 303(d) First Classified Stream and ID: USGS Basin & Sub-watershed No.: (10280103-040003) is authorized to discharge from the facility described herein, in accordance with the effluent limitations and monitoring requirements as set forth herein: **FACILITY DESCRIPTION** Outfall #001 - POTW - SIC #4952 Three-cell lagoon/sludge is retained in lagoon. Design population equivalent is 400. Design flow is 40,000 gallons per day. Actual flow is 21,700 gallons per day. Design sludge production is 6 dry tons/year. This permit authorizes only wastewater discharges under the Missouri Clean Water Law and the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System; it does not apply to other regulated areas. This permit may be appealed in accordance with Section 644.051.6 of the Law. Effective Date Doyle Childers, Director, Department of Natural Resources Executive Secretary, Clean Water Commission

**Expiration Date** 

MO 780-0041 (10-93)

## A. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS

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The permittee is authorized to discharge from outfall(s) with serial number(s) as specified in the application for this permit. The interim effluent limitations shall become effective upon issuance and remain in effect until four (4) years and 364-days from the issuance of this permit. Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:

OUTFALL NUMBER AND	UNITS	INTERIM EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS			MONITORING REQUIREMENTS	
EFFLUENT PARAMETER(S)		DAILY MAXIMUM	WEEKLY MONTHLY AVERAGE		MEASUREMENT FREQUENCY	SAMPLE TYPE
Outfall #001						
Flow	MGD	*		*	once/weekday**	24hr. estimate
Biochemical Oxygen Demand <sub>5</sub> ****	mg/L		, AS	45	once/month	grab
Total Suspended Solids****	mg/L		120	80	once/month	grab
pH – Units	\ s\u\	***		***	once/month	grab
Ammonia as N	mg/L	*		*	once/month	grab
Fecal Coliform (Note 1)	#/100ml	*		*	once/month	grab
Temperature	°C	*		*	once/month	grab
Oil & Grease	mg/L	15		10	once/month	grab

MONITORING REPORTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED MONTHLY; THE FIRST REPORT IS DUE\_\_\_\_\_\_ THERE SHALL BE NO DISCHARGE OF FLOATING SOLIDS OR VISIBLE FOAM IN OTHER THAN TRACE AMOUNTS.

#### **B. STANDARD CONDITIONS**

IN ADDITION TO SPECIFIED CONDITIONS STATED HEREIN, THIS PERMIT IS SUBJECT TO THE ATTACHED <u>Parts I, II, & III</u> STANDARD CONDITIONS DATED <u>October 1, 1980 and August 15, 1994</u>, AND HEREBY INCORPORATED AS THOUGH FULLY SET FORTH HEREIN.

MO 780-0010 (8/91)

# A. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS AND MONITORING REQUIREMENTS (continued)

- \* Monitoring requirement only.
- \*\* Sample once each weekday means: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.
- \*\*\* pH is measured in pH units and is not to be averaged. The pH is to be maintained at or above 6.0 pH units.
- \*\*\*\* This facility is required to meet a removal efficiency of 65% or more.

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The permittee is authorized to discharge from outfall(s) with serial number(s) as specified in the application for this permit. The final effluent limitations shall become effective one (1) day before the date of expiration of this permit and remain in effect until expiration of the permit. Such discharges shall be controlled, limited and monitored by the permittee as specified below:

OUTFALL NUMBER AND	UNITS	FINAL EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS			MONITORING REQU	JIREMENTS
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Ammonia as N	mg/L	*		*	once/month	grab
Fecal Coliform (Note 1)	#/100ml	1000		400	once/month	grab
Temperature	°C	*		*	once/month	grab
Oil & Grease	mg/L	15		10	once/month	grab

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#### C. SPECIAL CONDITIONS

- 1. This permit may be reopened and modified, or alternatively revoked and reissued, to:
  - (a) Comply with any applicable effluent standard or limitation issued or approved under Sections 301(b)(2)(C) and (D), 304(b)(2), and 307(a) (2) of the Clean Water Act, if the effluent standard or limitation so issued or approved:
    - (1) contains different conditions or is otherwise more stringent than any effuent limitation in the permit; or
    - (2) controls any pollutant not limited in the permit.
  - (b) Incorporate new or modified effluent limitations or other conditions, if the result of awaste load allocation study, toxicity test or other information indicates changes are necessary to assure compliance with Missouri's Water Quality Standards.
  - (c) Incorporate new or modified effluent limitations or other conditions if, as the result of a watershed analysis, a Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) limitation is developed for the reserving waters which are currently included in Missouri's list of waters of the state not fully achieving the state's water quality standards, also called the 303(d) list.

The permit as modified or reissued under this paragraph shall also contain any other requirements of the Clean Water Act then applicable.

- 2. All outfalls must be clearly marked in the field
- 3. Permittee will cease discharge by connection to area-wide wastewater treatment system within 90 days of notice of its availability.
- 4. Changes in Discharges of Toxic Substances

The permittee shall notify the Director as soon as it knows or has reason to believe:

- (a) That any activity has occurred or will occur which would result in the discharge of any toxic pollutant which is not limited in the permit, if that discharge will exceed the highest of the following "notification levels:"
  - (1) One hundred micrograms per liter (100 µg/L);
  - (2) Two hundred micrograms per liter (200  $\mu$ g/L) for acrolein and acrylonitrile; five hundred micrograms per liter (500  $\mu$ g/L) for 2,5 dinitrophenol and for 2-methyl-4, 6-dinitrophenol; and one milligram per liter (1 mg/L) for antimony;
  - (3) Five (5) times the maximum concentration value reported for the pollutant in the permit application;
  - (4) The level established in Part A of the permit by the Director.
- (b) That they have begun or expect to begin to use or manufacture as an intermediate or final product or byproduct any toxic pollutant, which was not reported in the permit application.
- 5. Report as no-discharge when a discharge does not occur during the report period.

#### 6. Water Quality Standards

- (a) Discharges to waters of the state shall not cause a violation of water quality standards rule under 10 CSR 20-7.031, including both specific and general criteria.
- (b) General Criteria. The following general water quality criteria shall be applicable to all waters of the state at all times including mixing zones. No water contaminant, by itself or in combination with other substances, shall prevent the waters of the state from meeting the following conditions:
  - (1) Waters shall be free from substances in sufficient amounts to cause the formation of putrescent, unsightly or harmful bottom deposits or prevent full maintenance of beneficial uses;
  - (2) Waters shall be free from oil, scum and floating debris in sufficient amounts to be unsightly or prevent full maintenance of beneficial uses:
  - (3) Waters shall be free from substances in sufficient amounts to cause unsightly color or turbidity, offensive odor or prevent full maintenance of beneficial uses;
  - (4) Waters shall be free from substances or conditions in sufficient amounts to result in toxicity to human, animal or aquatic life;
  - (5) There shall be no significant human health hazard from incidental contact with the water;
  - (6) There shall be no acute toxicity to livestock or wildlife watering;
  - (7) Waters shall be free from physical, chemical or hydrologic changes that would impair the natural biological community;
  - (8) Waters shall be free from used tires, car bodies, appliances, demolition debris, used vehicles or equipment and solid waste as defined in Missouri's Solid Waste Law, section 260.200, RSMo, except as the use of such materials is specifically permitted pursuant to section 260.200-260.247.

#### C. SPECIAL CONDITIONS (continued)

7. Sludge and Biosolids Use For Domestic Wastewater Treatment Facilities

(a) Permittee shall comply with the pollutant limitations, monitoring, reporting, and other requirements in accordance with the attached permit Standard Conditions.

(b) If sludge is not removed by a contract hauler, Permittee is authorized to land apply bioxolids that are removed from the domestic wastewater treatment lagoon during lagoon clean-out and maintenance activities. Permit Standard Conditions, Part III shall apply to the land application of biosolids. Permittee shall notify the department at least 180 days prior to the planned removal of biosolids from the lagoon. The department may require submittal of a biosolids management plan for department review and approval as determined appropriate on a case by case basis.

## D. SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE

- 1. The final daily maximum and monthly average Fecal Coliforn Umits of 400/100ml and 1000/100ml, respectively, shall become effective one day prior to the expiration date of the permit of December 31, 2013, whichever comes first unless items (b) or (c) below are approved by the Department. The Effluent Regulation, 10 CSR 20 7.015(9)(H), allows the permittee up to five years from the issuance date of this permit to:
  - (a) Install disinfection facilities, or;
  - (b) Present an evaluation to show that disinfection is not required to protect one or both recreational uses, or;
  - (c) Present a Use Attainability Analysis (UAA) that demonstrates one or both designated recreational uses are not attainable in the classified waters receiving the effluent.
- 2. If chlorination is the chosen method of disinfection, a Total Residual Chlorine limit will be added to the permit.

Date of Fact Sheet: July 3, 2006

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# NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PERMIT FACT SHEET

This Fact Sheet explains the applicable regulations, rationale for development of this permit and the public participation process.

NPDES PERMIT NUMBER: MO-0095729

FACILITY NAME: City of Galt Wastewater Treatment Facility

OWNER NAME: City of Galt

LOCATION: SE 1/4, NW 1/4, Sec. 4, T61N, R22W, Grundy County

RECEIVING STREAM: Unnamed fributary to West Kork Medicine Creek (P) to Little Medicine Creek (P) (00623) 303(d)

FACILITY CONTACT PERSON: Gary May ZELEPHONE: (660) 673-6514

FACILITY DESCRIPTION POTW/Subdivision - SIC #4952

Three-cell lagoon/sludge is retained in lagoon.

Design population equivalent is 400.

Design flow is 40,000 gallons per day.

Actual flow is 21,700 gallons per day.

Design sludge production is 6 dry tons/year.

The Federal Water Pollution Control Act ("Clean Water Act" Section 402 Public Law 92-500 as amended) established the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit program. This program regulates the discharge of pollutants from point sources into the waters of the United States, and the release of storm water from certain point sources. All such discharges are unlawful without a permit (Section 301 of the "Clean Water Act"). After a permit is obtained, a discharge not in compliance with all permit terms and conditions is unlawful. Permits in Missouri are issued by the Director of the Department of Natural Resources under an approved program, operating in accordance with federal and state laws (Federal "Clean Water Act" and "Missouri Clean Water Law" Section 644 as amended).

10 CSR 20-7.031 Missouri Water Quality Standards, Missouri Department of Natural Resources (the Department) "defines the Clean Water Commission water quality objectives in terms of water uses to be maintained and the criteria to protect those uses." The receiving stream's beneficial water uses to be maintained are livestock and wildlife watering, Whole Body Contact Recreation, and protection of aquatic life.

To protect these beneficial uses and the water quality of the receiving stream, effluent limitations are being established under federal and state laws.

## EFFLUENT LIMIT DERIVATION & RATIONALE

Permit limits have been retained from the previous permit. A Water Quality Review Sheet was therefore not developed. Monitoring requirements have been added for ammonia, temperature, oil and grease, and fecal coliform. Monitoring for ammonia was added due to the adoption of the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency's "1999 Update of Ambient Water Quality Criteria for Ammonia". Temperature and Oil and Grease were added due to other environmental policies adopted. Fecal Coliform monitoring has been added on a five-year schedule of compliance due to the Galt WWTF being within two miles of Little Medicine Creek, which is on the B list for Whole Body Contact streams. Neither a Use Attainability Analysis (UAA) nor a TMDL study had been conducted at the time of permit issuance.

This permit will be issued for a period of <u>five</u> years.